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CIP/PCT NATIONAL PLANT
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DECLARATIONS

O P E R A T I O N S C O M P A N Y
APR 21 RULE 63 (37 C.F.R. 1.63)
DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY
FOR PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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FORM

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that my residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name, and I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the INVENTION ENTITLED COMPOSITION COMPRISING CARBOHYDRATE AND PEPTIDE MATERIAL AND ITS USE AS AN ENERGY SUPPLEMENT AFTER OR DURING PHYSICAL EXERCISE OR AS A METABOLIC NUTRIENT FOR ORAL CONSUMPTION

the specification of which (CHECK applicable BOX(ES))

X A. is attached hereto.
BOX(ES) → B. was filed on DECEMBER 29, 2000 as U.S. Application No. 09/750,031
→ C. was filed as PCT International Application No. PCT/ / on
and (if applicable to U.S. or PCT application) was amended on

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. 1.56. Except as noted below, I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT International Application which designated at least one other country than the United States, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International Application, filed by me or my assignee disclosing the subject matter claimed in this application and having a filing date (1) before that of the application on which priority is claimed, or (2) if no priority claimed, before the filing date of this application:

PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)		Date first Laid-open or Published	Date Patented or Granted	Priority NOT Claimed
Number	Country			
99204607.8	EUROPE	30 DECEMBER 1999		

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If more prior foreign applications, X box at bottom and continue on attached page.

Except as noted below, I hereby claim domestic priority benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) or 120 and/or 365(c) of the indicated United States applications listed below and PCT international applications listed above or below and, if this is a continuation-in-part (CIP) application, insofar as the subject matter disclosed and claimed in this application is in addition to that disclosed in such prior applications, I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. 1.56 which became available between the filing date of each such prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

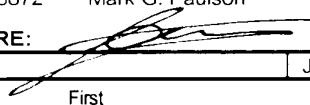
PRIOR U.S. PROVISIONAL, NONPROVISIONAL AND/OR PCT APPLICATION(S)		Status	Priority NOT Claimed
Application No. (series code/serial no.)	Day/Month/Year Filed		

pending, abandoned, patented

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true, and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

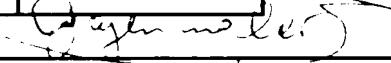
And I hereby appoint Pillsbury Winthrop LLP, Intellectual Property Group, 1100 New York Avenue, N.W., Ninth Floor, East Tower, Washington, D.C. 20005-3918, telephone number (202) 861-3000 (to whom all communications are to be directed), and the below-named persons (of the same address) individually and collectively my attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and with the resulting patent, and I hereby authorize them to delete names/numbers below of persons no longer with their firm and to act and rely on instructions from and communicate directly with the person/assignee/attorney/firm/organization who/which first sends/sent this case to them and by whom/which I hereby declare that I have consented after full disclosure to be represented unless/until I instruct the above Firm and/or a below attorney in writing to the contrary.

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See additional foreign priorities on attached page (incorporated herein by reference).

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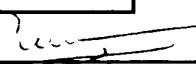
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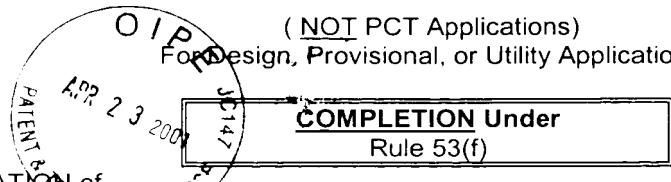
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FILING COMPLETION UNDER RULE 53(f)

PATENT
APPLICATIONIn re PATENT APPLICATION of
SIEMENSMA, et al.Appn No.: 09 | 750,031 | Atty.Dkt. | 276550 | BO-43213 ACW
Series Code ↑ | Serial No. ↑ | M# | Client Ref

Filed: December 29, 2000

Title: COMPOSITION COMPRISING CARBOHYDRATE AND PEPTIDE MATERIAL AND ITS USE AS AN ENERGY SUPPLEMENT AFTER OR DURING PHYSICAL EXERCISE OR AS A METABOLIC NUTRIENT FOR ORAL CONSUMPTION

Attn: Application Division

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Date: April 23, 2001

Sir:
The following completes the filing under Rule 53(f) of the above-identified patent application:

1. **Notice to File Missing Parts** copy attached not yet received
 2. Signed Declaration attached. Original Facsimile/Copy

(Always "X" box 2 if filling signed Declaration and
 "X" box 2A only if top box of the Declaration is X'd and file application copy, or
 "X" box 2B only if none of the top three boxes of the Declaration is X'd.)

2A. Attached: Original signed Declaration with attached specification (including claim(s)) which is a copy of specification and claim(s) originally filed to secure the above filing date.
 2B. The original application as filed in the PTO on the above filing date is the application which each inventor executed by signing the attached Rule 63 Declaration.
 3. Specification originally filed in non-English language; hence verified translation attached of:
 a. Abstract
 b. # pages of Specification(only spec. & claims)
 c. Drawing(s) _____
 No of Sheets
 Fig(s). _____
 4. Letter filing formal drawing attached.
 5. Attached is an assignment and cover sheet. Please return the recorded assignment to the undersigned.
 6. **DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL** priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, nonprovisional and/or PCT international application(s):

Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing Date
(1)		(2)	
(3)		(4)	
(5)		(6)	

7. **FOREIGN** priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/365(b) based on filing in Europe

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Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing Date
(1) 99204607.8	December 30, 1999	(2)	
(3)		(4)	
(5)		(6)	

9. _____ (No.) Certified copy (copies): attached; previously filed (date) _____
in U.S. Application No. / filed on _____

10. Small Entity Status is Not claimed is claimed (file PAT-256 if this is the first claim of
Small Entity Status)

11 Attached:

12 Preliminary Amendment:

THE FOLLOWING FILING FEE IS BASED ON CLAIMS AS FILED LESS ANY ABOVE CANCELLED

			Large/Small Entity		Fee Code
13. Basic Filing Fee	Design Application	\$320/\$160		106/26	
	Not Design Application	\$710/\$355	\$710.00	101/201	
14. Total Effective Claims	17	minus 20 =	x \$18/\$9	+0	103/203
15. Independent Claims	1	minus 3 =	x \$80/\$40	+0	102/202
16. If any proper multiple dependent claim (ignore improper) is present, (Leave this line blank if this is a reissue application)			\$270/\$135	\$270.00	104/204
17. Surcharge for filing Declaration/filing fee late			\$130/\$65	\$130.00	105/205
18.			FILING FEE ENCLOSED =	\$1,100.00	
19. Original due date:	April 9, 2001				
20. Petition is hereby made to extend the original due date to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is attached	(1 mo) (2mos) (3mos) (4mos)	\$110/\$55 = \$390/\$195 = \$890/\$445 = \$1390/\$695 =	\$110.00	115/215 116/216 117/217 118/218	
21. If "non-English" box 3 is X'd, add Rule 17(k) processing fee		\$130	+0	139	
22. If "assignment" box 5 is X'd, add recording fee		\$40	\$40.00	581	
23. Petition Fee for		\$130	+0		
24.			TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED =	\$1,260.00	

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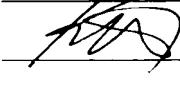
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This **CHARGE STATEMENT** does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal form is filed.

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